

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

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1. A complex comprising (a) a virion having a surface and a lumen and comprising viral capsid proteins, (b) at least one non-native ligand displayed on the surface, which at least one ligand recognizes an epitope present on an immune effector cell, and (c) at least one first nucleic acid encoding at least one first non-native antigen.
 2. The complex of claim 1, wherein at least one ligand recognizes a protein on an antigen presenting cell.
 3. The complex of claim 1, wherein at least one ligand recognizes CD-40. class II
 4. The complex of claim 1, wherein at least one ligand comprises an RGD motif or three or more tandem lysine and/or histidine residues.
 5. The complex of claim 1, wherein an antigen is a gene product from a pathogen or a malignant cell.
 6. The complex of claim 1, wherein an antigen is a synthetic polypeptide having from about 1 to about 15 antigenic domains.
 - ~~7. The complex of claim 1, further comprising at least one non-native second antigen.~~
 - ~~8. The complex of claim 7, wherein at least one first antigen is the same as at least one second antigen.~~
 - ~~9. The complex of claim 7, wherein the virion comprises at least one chimeric protein comprising at least one first domain derived from a viral capsid protein and at least one second domain comprising at least one second antigen or at least one ligand.~~
 10. The complex of claim 1, further comprising a liposome.
 11. The complex of claim 1, wherein the virion is non-enveloped.
 12. The complex of claim 1, wherein the virion elicits less virion-specific immunogenicity in a host animal than does a corresponding wild-type virion.
 13. The complex of claim 1, wherein the virion comprises an adenoviral capsid.
 14. The complex of claim 1, wherein the first nucleic acid comprises a viral genome.
 15. The complex of claim 1, wherein the nucleic acid is expressed in an immune effector cell.
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Sub C1 16. The complex of claim 1, further comprising at least one second nucleic acid sequence encoding at least one polypeptide that activates an immune effector cell.

5 17. The complex of claim 16, wherein at least one polypeptide comprises a domain derived from CD40-L or osteopontin.

18. The complex of claim 16, wherein at least one polypeptide is a cytokine.

10 19. A method of inoculating a mammal, the method comprising introducing the complex of claim 1 into a mammal under conditions sufficient for the mammal to mount an immune response to at least one first non-native antigen.

Sub A1 20. The method of claim 19, wherein the complex further comprises at least one second non-native antigen and where the animal mounts at least one immune response against at least one second non-native antigen.

15 21. The method of claim 19, wherein the mammal comprises an immune effector cell, and wherein at least one immune response comprises an MCH-1 response within the immune effector cell.

22. The method of claim 19, wherein the mammal comprises an immune effector cell, and wherein at least one immune response comprises an MCH-2 response within the immune effector cell.

20 23. The method of claim 19, wherein the complex comprises at least one second nucleic acid sequence encoding at least one polypeptide that activates an immune effector cell, which is expressed within the mammal under conditions sufficient to activate the immune effector cell.

Sub A2 25 24. The method of claim 19, wherein the polypeptide comprises a domain derived from CD40-L or osteopontin.

25. The method of claim 19, wherein the polypeptide is a cytokine.

Sub B3 30 26. A method of immunizing a mammal, the method comprising introducing a complex comprising (a) a virion having a surface and a lumen and comprising viral capsid proteins, (b) at least one first nucleic acid encoding at least one first non-native antigen, and (c) at least one second non-native antigen into a mammal under conditions sufficient for the mammal to mount at least one immune response to at least one of the antigens.

35 27. The method of claim 26, wherein the complex further comprises at least one non-native ligand displayed on the surface, which recognizes an epitope present on an immune effector cell.

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28. The method of claim 26, wherein the mammal comprises an immune effector cell, and wherein at least one immune response comprises an MCH-1 response within the immune effector cell.

29. The method of claim 26, wherein the mammal comprises an immune effector cell, and wherein at least one immune response comprises an MCH-2 response within the immune effector cell.

30. The method of claim 26, wherein the complex comprises at least one second nucleic acid sequence encoding at least one polypeptide that activates an immune effector cell, which is expressed within the mammal under conditions sufficient to activate the immune effector cell.

31. The method of claim 26, wherein at least one polypeptide comprises a domain derived from CD40-L or osteopontin.

32. The method of claim 26, wherein the polypeptide is a cytokine.

33. A library comprising a plurality including at least two of complexes of claim 1, wherein at least one of the first non-native antigens of at least two of the plurality of the complexes are different.

34. The library of claim 33, wherein at least one of the complexes further comprises at least one second non-native antigen.

35. A library comprising a plurality including at least two complexes, each of which comprises (a) a virion having a surface and a lumen and comprising viral capsid proteins and (b) at least one first nucleic acid encoding at least one first non-native antigen, wherein at least one of the first non-native antigens of at least two of the plurality of the complexes are different.

36. The library of claim 35, wherein at least one of the complexes further comprises at least one second non-native antigen.

37. The library of claim 35, wherein at least one of the complexes further comprises at least one non-native ligand displayed on the surface, which recognizes an epitope present on an immune effector cell.

38. A method of assessing the antigenicity of at least one test antigen, the method comprising (a) exposing the library of claim 33 to a population of immune effector cells, the library containing least one test antigen, (b) maintaining the cells under conditions such that the cells develop a response to the test antigen, and (c) assessing the relative strength of the response of the cells to the test antigen.

39. A method of assessing the antigenicity of at least one test antigen, the method comprising (a) exposing the library of claim 35 to a population of immune effector cells, the library containing least one test antigen, (b) maintaining

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the cells under conditions such that the cells develop a response to the test antigen, and (c) assessing the relative strength of the response of the cells to the test antigen.

~~40. A pharmaceutical composition comprising (a) a complex which comprises (i) a virion having a surface and a lumen and comprising viral capsid proteins, (ii) at least one first nucleic acid encoding at least one first non-native antigen, and (b) a physiologically acceptable carrier.~~

~~41. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 40, wherein the complex further comprises at least one second non-native antigen~~

~~42. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 40, wherein the complex further comprises at least one non-native ligand displayed on the surface, which recognizes an epitope present on an immune effector cell.~~

43. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 40, wherein the complex comprises at least one second nucleic acid sequence encoding a polypeptide that activates an immune effector cell.

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